

# Student Advocacy for Extended Summer Library Hours at UH-Mānoa

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## LIBRARY HOURS

### Spring/Fall semester

#### Hamilton Library

Sunday : noon -10pm  
Monday-Thursday :8am-10pm  
Friday: 8am – 6pm  
Saturday: 9am-5pm



#### Sinclair Library

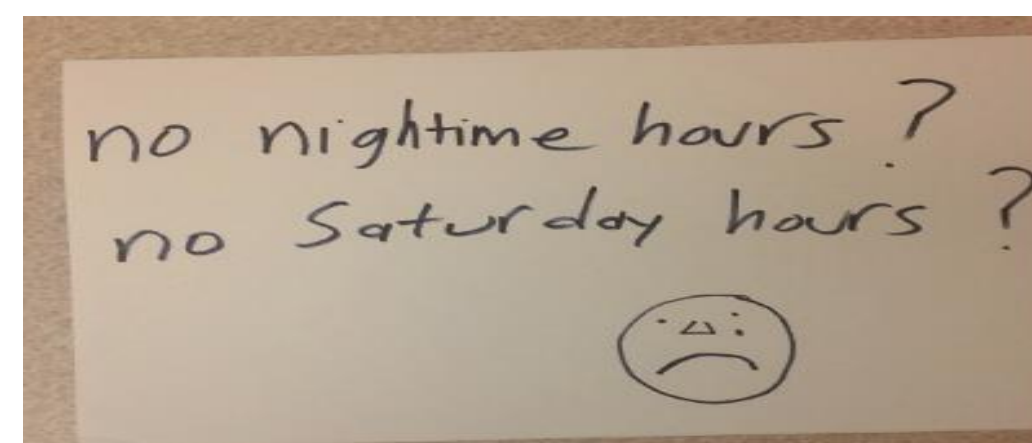
Sunday noon to Friday 6pm (non-stop)  
Saturday : noon- 6pm



### Summer Session

#### Hamilton Library & Sinclair Library

Sunday : noon – 6pm  
Monday –Friday: 8am – 6pm  
Saturday: CLOSED



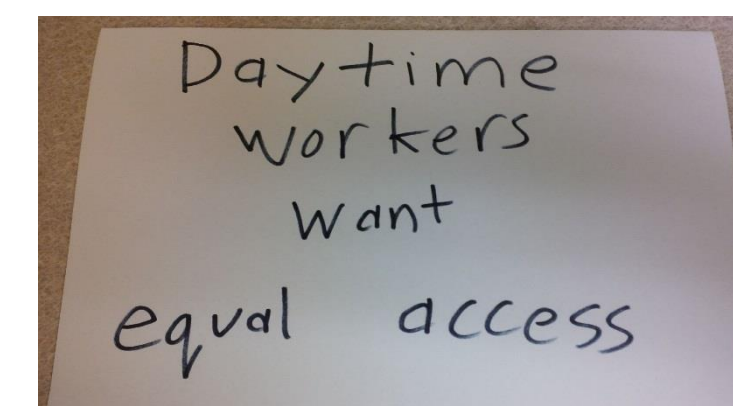
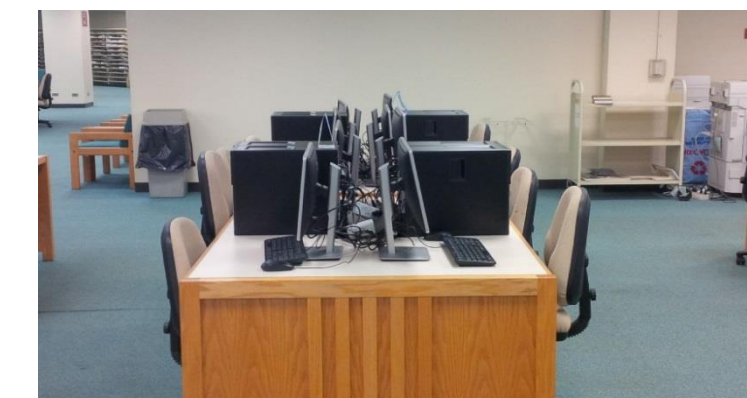
#### Every week, students lose

- 28 hours of access to Hamilton Library
- 76 hours of access to Sinclair Library

## PROBLEMS WITH REDUCED SUMMER LIBRARY HOURS

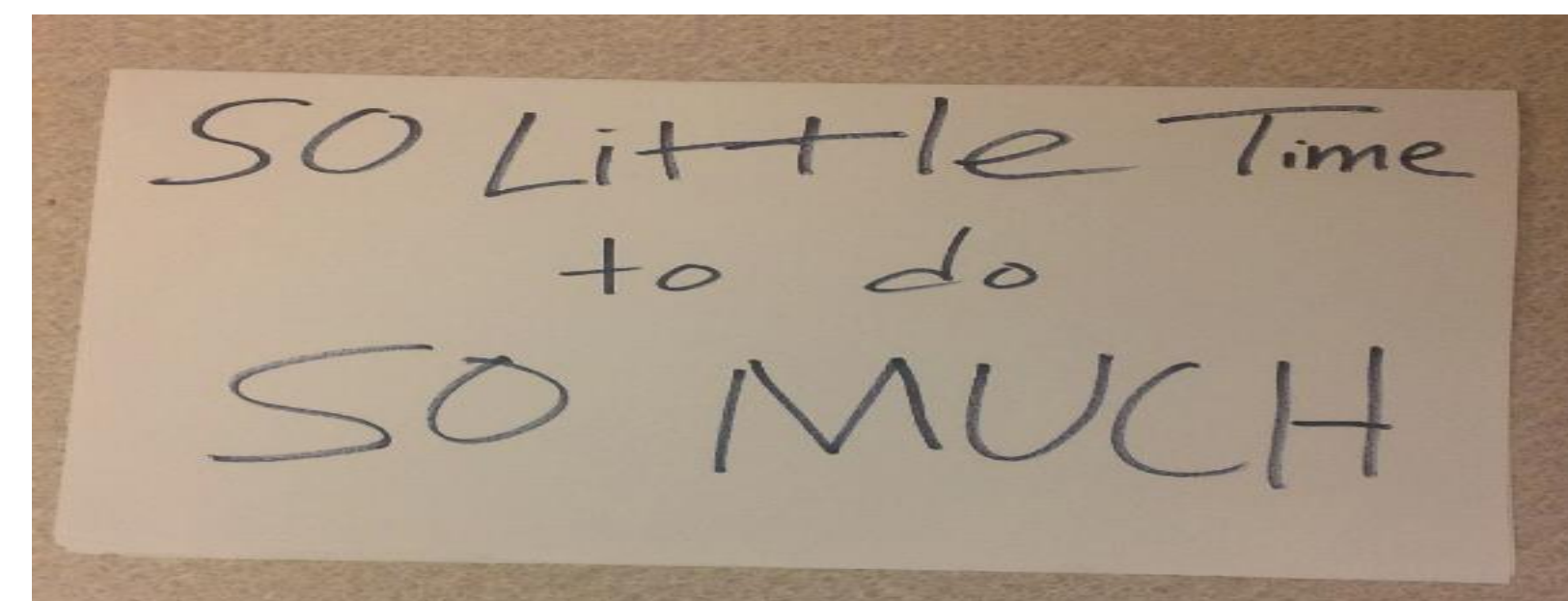
### 1.) Lost hours of access a special disadvantage to students

- Without a computer at home
- Without a quiet place to study
- With daytime responsibilities  
(ie. Jobs, class, family, etc.)



### AND TO MAKE IT WORSE .....

### 2.) Summer Session classes fits in 16 weeks of coursework into 6 weeks



## STUDENT ACTION

- Pablo Wegesend (the creator of this poster) drafted a resolution calling for increasing summer library hours
- The Graduate Student Organization (G.S.O.) approved the resolution on July 30, 2015



<http://tinyurl.com/pncerk2>

#### • G.S.O. Resolution sent to

Interim Chancellor Robert Bley-Vroman,  
Office of Vice Chancellor for Academic Affairs,  
Interim Vice Chancellor for Students Lori Ideta,  
Vice Chancellor for Administration for Administration, Finance & Operations Kathy Cutshaw,  
Interim Vice Chancellor for Research Brian Taylor,  
Dean of Graduate Education Krystyna Aune,  
Dean of Students Mike Kaptik,  
University Librarian Irene Herold,  
Associated Students of University of Hawaii (ASUH),  
Ka Leo O Hawaii

- Associated Students of UH (ASUH) currently working on their own resolution

#### • Student newspaper coverage

*("Increased library hours? Graduate Student Organization proposes more hours, hopes ASUH will follow suit"*  
Ka Leo O Hawaii,  
September 1, 2015)



<http://tinyurl.com/nh9uquz>